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### PERSONAL DATA

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### EDUCATION

B.A. University of Connecticut, May, 1976  
M.A. University of Connecticut, May, 1979  
Ph.D. The Ohio State University, April, 1985

### DISSERTATION

Title: "The Supreme Court Agenda Across Time: Dynamics and Determinants of Change"

### HONORS AND AWARDS

University Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship, 2009-10  
CLASS Award for Distinction in Scholarship 2006-07  
Chancellor's Award for Teaching Excellence 2000  
Governor's Award for Teaching Excellence 2000  
*Choice* Outstanding Titles Award 2002 for *The Role of the Supreme Court in American Politics*  
Faculty Mentor Award, *Omicron Delta Kappa* Society, 2008, 2009, 2010  
Golden Key Faculty Award 2000  
APSA Distinguished Teaching Recognition 2001  
University Nominee for President's Award for Teaching Excellence 2002  
Research Board Grant, University of Missouri-St. Louis 2001-02  
Research Board Grant, University of Missouri-St. Louis 1997-98  
Research Board Grant, University of Missouri-St. Louis 1994  
Golden Key "Outstanding Faculty Members Award" 1991  
Blue Key, Golden Key, Mortar Board "Highest Distinction Faculty Award" 1988, 1989  
Dissertation Research Board Grant, Ohio State University 1984  
University Fellowship, Ohio State University 1979-80  
University Fellowship, University of Connecticut 1977-78

### EMPLOYMENT

Editorial Assistant	<i>American Journal of Political Science</i> , 1980-1982
Teaching Assistant	University of Connecticut 1978-1979 The Ohio State University, 1983-1984
Assistant Professor	Indiana University, 1985-1991 University of Missouri-St. Louis, 1991-1997
Associate Professor	University of Missouri-St. Louis, 1997-2003
Professor	Georgia Southern University, 2003-2014 University of Tennessee, 2014-
Chair	Georgia Southern University, 2003-2011

Department Head University of Tennessee, 2014-

#### COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate: Introduction to American Government, Introduction to Political Science, Introduction to Political Philosophy, Constitutional Law, Civil Liberties, Law and Society, Judicial Politics, Federal Judicial System, Comparative Justice Systems, Judicial Decision-Making (simulation), Mock Constitutional Convention (simulation), Art and Politics, Ancient and Medieval Political Thought, Modern Political Thought; Graduate: Proseminar in Public Law, Seminar in Law, Courts, and Policy, Public Law and Administration, Proseminar in American Politics, Intermediate Methods for Political Science and Policy Analysis, Multiple Regression and MLE

#### PUBLICATIONS

##### BOOKS AND MONOGRAPHS

*The Supreme Court in a System of Separation of Powers: The Nation's Balance Wheel*. New York: Routledge, 2015.

*Decision Making by the Modern Supreme Court* (with Brett W. Curry and Bryan W. Marshall) New York: Cambridge University Press, 2011.

*Between Law and Politics: The Solicitor General and the Structuring of Race, Gender, and Reproductive Rights Policy*. College Station: Texas A&M University Press, 2003.

*The Role of the Supreme Court in American Politics: The Least Dangerous Branch?* Boulder: Westview Press, 2002. Winner of Choice Outstanding Titles Award 2002-03.

*The Transformation of the Supreme Court's Agenda: From the New Deal to the Reagan Administration*. Boulder: Westview Press, 1991.

##### ARTICLES

"A Legislative History of Animal Fighting in the U.S. and its Territories" (with Wayne Pacelle) *Society & Animals*: forthcoming.

"Assessing the Influence of *Amicus Curiae* Briefs on the Roberts Court (with John Scheb, Hemant Sharma, and David Scott), *Social Science Quarterly* 99 (December 2018): 1253-1266 (lead article).

"The Influence of the Solicitor General as *Amicus Curiae* on the Roberts Court, 2005-2014" (with John Scheb, Hemant Sharma, and David Scott) *Justice Systems Journal* 38 (April 2017): 202-208.

"Preserving Institutional Power: The Supreme Court and Strategic Decision Making in the Separation of Powers" (with Bryan W. Marshall and Brett W. Curry) *Politics & Policy* 44 (February 2014): 37-76.

"Dissensual Decision-Making: Revisiting the Demise of Consensual Norms within the U.S. Supreme Court" (with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) *Political Research Quarterly* 66 (June 2013): 467-481.

"'An Informal and Limited Alliance': The President and the Supreme Court." (coauthored with Brett W. Curry and Bryan W. Marshall) *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 38 (June 2008): 223-247.

“Keepers of the Covenant or Platonic Guardians: Decision Making on the United States Supreme Court” (coauthored with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry) *American Politics Research* 35 (September 2007): 694-724.

“*Amicus Curiae* or *Amicus Praesidentis*? Reexamining the Role of the Solicitor General in Filing *Amici*.” *Judicature* 89 (May-June 2006): 317-325.

"Revisiting the Two Presidencies: The Strategic Use of Executive Orders" (coauthored with Bryan Marshall) *American Politics Research* 33 (January 2005): 81-105.

"The Freshman Effect Revisited: An Individual Based Analysis" (coauthored with Patricia Pauly) *American Review of Politics* 17 (Spring 1996): 1-22.

"Supreme Court Authority in the Judiciary: A Study of Remands" (coauthored with Lawrence Baum) *American Politics Quarterly* 20 (April 1992): 169-192.

"Simulating Supreme Court Decision Making" in *The Political Science Teacher*, 2 (Spring 1989): 8-10.

#### BOOK CHAPTERS

“Issue Emergence and Evolution in the U.S. Supreme Court” (coauthored with Barry Pyle) in *Open Judicial Politics: An Empirical Reader* edited by Rorie Spill-Solberg, Eric Wattenburg, and Jennifer Segal. Corvallis: Oregon State University Press 2020.

“*Husted v. A. Phillip Randolph Institute* on Voting Rights” chapter 4 in *SCOTUS 2018: Major Decisions and Developments in the Supreme Court* edited by David Klein and Morgan Marietta. London: Palgrave 2019: 39-50.

“Of Political Principles and Legal Principals: The Solicitor General of the United States” chapter 12 in *The Handbook of Judicial Behavior* edited by Robert Howard and Kirk Randazzo. New York: Routledge Press, 2018.

"Rebuilding Institutions and Redefining Issues: The Reagan Justice Department and the Reconstruction of Civil Rights" chapter 4 in *Civil Rights, the Conservative Movement, and the Presidency* edited by Kenneth Osgood and Derrick White. Gainesville: University of Florida Press, 2014: 121-153.

“Beyond Two Terms: Shaping the Supreme Court and a Legacy” chapter 9 in *The Obama Presidency: Continuity and Change* edited by Andrew Dowdle, Dirk C. van Raemdonck, and Robert Maranto. New York: Routledge Press, 2012: 121-134.

“The Emergence and Evolution of Supreme Court Policy” chapter 12 in Mark C. Miller, ed., *Exploring Judicial Politics*, New York: Oxford University Press, 2009, pp. 174-191.

“A Court of Laws or a Super Legislature? An Integrated Model of Supreme Court Decision Making” (co-authored with Bryan Marshall and Christine Ludowise) chapter 13 in Mark C. Miller, ed., *Exploring Judicial Politics*, ed. New York: Oxford University Press, 2009, pp. 192-212.

“A *Mapp* to Legal Change and Policy Retreat: *United States v. Leon*” chapter 18 in Gregg Ivers and Kevin McGuire, ed., *Creating Constitutional Change*. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 2004, pp. 249-263.

"The Solicitor General and Gender: Litigating the President's Agenda and Serving the Supreme Court" chapter 11 in Mary Ann Borrelli and Janet Martin, eds., *The Other Elites: Women, Politics, and Power in the Executive Branch*, Boulder: Lynne Reiner Publisher, 1997, pp. 189-210.

"A President's Legacy: Gender and Appointment to the Federal Courts" chapter 9 in Mary Ann Borrelli and Janet Martin, eds., *The Other Elites: Women, Politics, and Power in the Executive Branch*, Boulder: Lynne Reiner Publisher, 1997, pp. 147-166.

"Seeking Another Forum: The Courts and Gay Rights" chapter 7 in Craig Rimmerman, ed. *Perspectives on Gays Rights, Military Wrongs*. New York: Garland Press, 1996, pp. 195-216.

"The Dynamics and Determinants of Agenda Change in the Rehnquist Court" chapter 11, in Lee Epstein, ed., *Contemplating Courts* Washington D.C.: Congressional Quarterly, 1995, pp. 251-274.

#### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

"The New Sheriff Comes to Town: The External Chair." *APSA Guide for Chairs*, 2011.

"The Gift that Keeps on Giving: Extreme Recruitment." *APSA Guide for Chairs*, 2011.

#### REVIEW ESSAYS

"In the Shadow of the Law: Understanding the OLC and the Pardon's Attorney Office" *Law & Courts Newsletter*, 18 (2008): 4-6.

"Leadership and Results: Assessing Chief Justices of the United States": *The Supreme Court Under Edward Douglass White, 1910-1921*. By Walter Pratt, Jr., *Division and Discord: The Supreme Court Under Stone and Vinson, 1941-1953*. By Melvin I. Urofsky, *The Chief Justiceship of Warren Burger, 1969-1986*. By Earl Maltz, *The Warren Court and American Politics*. By Lucas A. Powe, Jr. *Journal of Policy History* 13 (2001): 397-403.

#### BOOK REVIEWS

*Of Power and Right: Hugo Black, William O. Douglas, and America's Constitutional Revolution*. Howard Ball and Phillip J. Cooper (New York: Oxford University Press, 1992). *Journal of Politics*, 55 (February 1993): 260-262.

*John Marshall Harlan: Great Dissenter of the Warren Court*. Tinsley Yarbrough. (New York: Oxford University Press, 1992). *American Historical Review*, 98 (April 1993): 594.

*The Supreme Court and Partisan Realignment*. John B. Gates. (Boulder: Westview Press, 1992). *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 529 (September 1993): 193-194.

*Independent Justice: The Special Prosecutor in American Politics*. Katy J. Harriger. (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 1992). *Congress and the President*, 20 (Spring 1993): 94-95.

*Deathright*. James Hoefler. (Boulder: Westview Press, 1994). *Law & Policy Book Reviews* 4 (August 1994): 99-101.

*The Supreme Court Bar*. Kevin McGuire. (Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1993). *American Historical Review*, 100 (June 1995): 944-945.

- The Decline and Fall of the Supreme Court: Living Out the Federalists Nightmare.* Chris Faille (Westport: Praeger, 1995). *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 545 (May 1996): 196.
- Brennan v. Rehnquist: The Battle for the Constitution.* Peter Irons. (New York: Alfred Knopf, 1994). *American Historical Review*, 101 (April 1996): 588-589.
- The Burger Court: Counter-Revolution or Confirmation?* Bernard Schwartz (New York: Oxford University Press, 1998). *Law & Policy Book Review* 9 (February 1999): 53-55.
- Lethal Judgments: Assisted Suicide & American Law.* Melvin I. Urofsky. *Law & Politics Book Review* 10 (June 2000): 369-371.
- The Courts of International Trade: Judicial Specialization, Expertise, and Bureaucratic Policy-Making.* Isaac Unah. (Ann Arbor: The University of Michigan Press, 1998). *Journal of Politics* 63 (February 2001): 300-301.
- The Rehnquist Court and the Constitution.* Tinsley Yarbrough (New York: Oxford University Press, 2000). *American Historical Review* 106 (June 2001): 1021-1022.
- The Velvet Coup: The Constitution, the Supreme Court, and the Decline of American Democracy.* Daniel Lazare (London: Verso, 2001). *Political Science Quarterly* 117 (Summer 2002): 354-355.
- Franklin Roosevelt and the Great Constitutional War: The Court-Packing Crisis of 1937.* Marian McKenna (New York: Fordham University Press, 2002). *American Historical Review* (June 2003): 867-868.
- The Supreme Court Review 2002.* Dennis J. Hutchinson, David A. Strauss, and Geoffrey R. Stone. (Chicago: The University of Chicago) *Law & Politics Book Review* 13 (December 2003).
- Murder in Mississippi: **United States v. Price** and the Struggle for Civil Rights.* Howard Ball. (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2004). *Law & Politics Book Review* 14 (April 2004).
- Distorting the Law: Politics, Media, and the Litigation Crisis.* William Haltom and Michael McCann. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2004). *Law & Politics Book Review* 14 (September 2004): 747-750.
- The Supreme Court Under Earl Warren, 1953-1969.* Michal Belknap. (Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 2005). *Law & Politics Book Review* 15 (June 2005): 577-580.
- The Slaughterhouse Cases: Regulation, Reconstruction, and the Fourteenth Amendment.* Ronald Labbe and Jonathan Lurie. (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2003). *Politics & Policy* 33 (Sept 2005): 601-604.
- Advice and Consent: The Politics of Judicial Appointments.* Lee Epstein and Jeffrey Segal. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2005). *Law & Politics Book Review* 15 (November 2005): 998-1000.
- The Supreme Court in the American Legal System.* Jeffrey A. Segal, Harold J. Spaeth, and Sara C. Benesh. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2005). *Perspectives on Politics*, 41 (March 2006): 196-197.

*Judging on a Collegial Court: Influences on Appellate Decision Making.* Virginia A. Hettinger, Stefanie A. Lindquist, and Wendy L. Martinek. (Charlottesville: University of Virginia Press, 2006). *Law & Politics Book Review* 16 (June 2006): 475-478.

*A Good Quarrel: America's Top Legal Reporters Share Stories from Inside the Supreme Court.* Timothy R. Johnson and Jerry Goldman, editors. (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2009). *Law & Politics Book Review* 19 (July 2009): 548-551.

*The Supreme Court and the American Elite, 1789–2008.* Scot A. Powe. (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2009) *American Historical Review* (October 2010): 1149.

*Permit but Discourage: Regulating Excessive Consumption.* W.A. Bogart (New York: Oxford University Press, 2011). *Law & Politics Book Review* 19 (May 2011): 239-242.

*The Constrained Court: Law, Politics, and the Decisions Judges Make.* Michael Bailey and Forrest Maltzman (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2011). *Law & Politics Book Review* 20 (May 2012): 201-204.

*The Solicitor General and the United States Supreme Court: Executive Branch Influence and Judicial Decisions.* Ryan Black and Ryan Owens (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012): *Journal of Politics* 76 (April 2014).

*No Day in Court: Access to Justice and the Politics of Judicial Retrenchment.* Sarah Staszak (New York: Oxford University Press: *Law & Politics Book Review* 27 (June 2017): 86-88.

*The Chief Justice: Appointment and Influence.* David Danelski and Artemus Ward, eds. (Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2016): *Perspective on Politics*. 15 (September 2017): 886-888.

*Is Racial Equality Unconstitutional?* Mark Golub (New York: Oxford University Press): *Perspectives on Politics* 17 (June 2019): 577-578.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS TO REFERENCE WORKS

Two entries in *Encyclopedia of American Civil Rights and Liberties*. Westport: Greenwood Press, 2017.

Two entries in *Encyclopedia of Political Behavior*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publishing, 2017.

Five entries in *Encyclopedia of the First Amendment*. Washington D.C.: CQ Press, 2009.

Two entries in *Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court of the United States*. New York: Macmillan/Gale, 2008.

Five entries in *Encyclopedia of Civil Rights and Liberties*. Westport: Greenwood Press, 2006.

Three entries in *Encyclopedia of Civil Liberties in the United States*, vol. 2. Armonk: ME Sharpe, 2005.

Two entries in *Encyclopedia of Civil Liberties in the United States*, vol. 3. Armonk: ME Sharpe, 2005.

Fifteen entries in *Encyclopedia of Minorities in American Politics*, vol. 1. Phoenix: Oryx Press, 2000.

Four entries in *Encyclopedia of Minorities in American Politics*, vol. 2. Phoenix: Oryx Press, 2000

Seven entries in *Encyclopedia of Women in American Politics*. Phoenix: Oryx Press, 1999.

Three entries in *American National Biography*. Oxford University Press, 1998

#### RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

"The Emergence and Evolution of Supreme Court Doctrine: A Model of Institutional Decision Making" (with Barry Pyle) book manuscript prospectus in progress.

"By Invitation Only: May it Please the Court? The Call for the Views of the Solicitor General" in progress

"Can We Talk?: The Solicitor General and Oral Argument in *Amicus* Cases" in progress.

#### CONVENTION PRESENTATIONS

Author Meets Critics: *Between Law and Politics*. Southern Political Science Association November 7-10, 2002: Savannah, GA. My book was subject of a panel.

"Supreme Court Authority and Judicial Hierarchy: A Study of Remands" (with Lawrence Baum). Midwest Political Science Association April 29-May 1, 1982: Milwaukee, WI.

"The Supreme Court Agenda Across Time: Toward A Theory of Agenda-Building." Midwest Political Science Association April 10-12, 1986: Chicago, IL.

"The Dynamics and Process of Policy Evolution in the U.S. Supreme Court: The Development of Policy Complexity" (with Roberta Herzberg) Midwest Political Science Association April 9-12, 1987: Chicago, IL.

"The Agenda for Agenda Research: New Directions in an Old Direction." Law and Society Association June 11-14, 1987: Washington, D.C.

"The Supreme Court and the Growth of Civil Liberties: The Process and Dynamics of Agenda Change." American Political Science Association September 3-6, 1987: Chicago, IL.

"Altering the Balance: The Impact of Membership Change Upon Voting Alignments in the United States Supreme Court, 1966-1985" (with Roberta Herzberg) Midwest Political Science Association April 14-16, 1988: Chicago, IL. Nominated for Best Paper in Public Law.

"The Evolving Behavior of New Justices: A New Freshman Effect?" (with Patricia Pauly) Midwest Political Science Association April 4-6, 1990: Chicago, IL.

"The Supreme Court's Agenda and the Dynamics of Policy Evolution" American Political Science Association August 30-September 2, 1990: San Francisco, CA.

"Reality or Myth? A New Look at the Freshman Effect" (with Patricia Pauly) Southern Political Science Association Meetings November 7-10, 1991: Tampa, FL.

"The Emergence and Evolution of Freedom of Religion Policy in the Supreme Court" American Political Science Association, September 3-6, 1992: Chicago, IL.

"The Freshman Effect Revisited: A New Look At An Old Piece of Conventional Wisdom" (with Patricia Pauly) Southern Political Science Association, November 5-7, 1992, Atlanta, GA.

"The Changing Agenda Priorities of the Rehnquist Court: Toward a Transformation?" Midwest Political Science Association, April 15-17, 1993: Chicago, IL.

"The Emergence and Evolution of Free Exercise Policy in the Supreme Court" (with Barry Pyle) Midwest Political Science Association, September 3-6, 1995: Chicago, IL.

"The Executive Branch and the Structuring of Women's Rights Policy: The Role of the Solicitor General's Office" American Political Science Association Meetings, August 29-September 1, 1996: San Francisco, CA.

"The Solicitor General and the Structure of Civil Rights Policy" Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, April 10-12, 1997: Chicago, IL (paper for a panel that I helped organize).

"Between Law and Politics: The Solicitor General and Civil Rights, Gender Discrimination, and Reproductive Rights" Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, April 15-17, 1999: Chicago, IL.

"Strategic or Sincere? The Supreme Court in Constitutional Decisions" (with Bryan Marshall) American Political Science Association Meetings, August 29-September 2, 2001: San Francisco, CA.

"The Strategic Use of Executive Orders" (with Bryan Marshall) American Political Science Association Meetings, August 29-September 2, 2001: San Francisco, CA.

"Modeling Supreme Court Behavior" (with Bryan Marshall) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, November 2001, Atlanta, GA.

"The Dynamic Emergence and Evolution of Supreme Court Policy Making" (with Barry Pyle) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, November 2001, Atlanta, GA.

"Political Principals and Legal Principles: The Solicitor General as Agent" Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, April 3-6, 2003, Chicago, IL.

"The Evolution of Supreme Court Policy Making: Judicial Decision Making in a Dynamic Context" Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, April 15-18, 2004, Chicago, IL.

"Keepers of the Covenant or Platonic Guardians? Decision Making on the U.S. Supreme Court" (with Bryan Marshall) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, January 6-8, 2005, New Orleans, LA.

"Modeling Supreme Court Decision Making in Statutory Cases: Constraints or Discretion?" (with Bryan Marshall) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, January 5-8, 2006, Atlanta, GA.

"Strategic or Sincere? Understanding Supreme Court Decision Making" (with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry) Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL April 19-23, 2006.



“Strategic or Sincere: The Supreme Court Deals with Economic Issues” (with Brett Curry and Bryan Marshall) American Political Science Association Meetings, August 31-September 3, 2006, Philadelphia, PA.

“Of Opportunities and Constraints: Decision Making on the Modern Supreme Court” (with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry) Midwest Political Science Association, April 12-15, 2007, Chicago, IL.

“Creating the Living Law and Maintaining the Constitutional Shield: Decision Making by the Modern Supreme Court” (with Brett Curry and Bryan Marshall) Law & Society Association, July 25-28, 2007, Berlin, Germany.

“A Vital National Seminar and a Super Legislature: Decision Making on the Modern Supreme Court” (with Brett Curry and Bryan Marshall) American Political Science Association Meetings, August 30-September 2, 2007, Chicago.

“Navigating Separation of Powers: The Supreme Court and Civil Rights” (with Jason Lawrence, Brett Curry, and Bryan Marshall) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, January 10-12, 2008, New Orleans, LA

“Different Spheres of Influence? The Solicitor General in a Time of Politicization” (with Patrick Wohlfarth) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, January 8-10, 2009, New Orleans, LA

“An Agent with Multiple Principals: The Solicitor General and the Balance of Law and Politics” (with Bryan W. Marshall and Patrick C. Wohlfarth) Southern Political Science Association Meetings January 7-9, 2010, Atlanta.

“Revisiting the Mysterious Demise of Consensual Norms in the U.S. Supreme Court” (with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Western Political Science Association April 1-3, 2010 San Francisco.

“Methodological Mystery: Revisiting the Demise of Consensual Norms Within the U.S. Supreme Court” (with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Midwest Political Science Association Meetings April 22-25, 2010 Chicago, IL

“The Will of Congress? Assessing the Institutional Foundations of Judicial Deference” (with Bryan W. Marshall and Brett W. Curry) Midwest Political Science Association April 22-25, 2010, Chicago, IL.

“Balancing Political Forces and Legal Constraints: The Litigation Efforts of the Solicitor General” (with Bryan Marshall and Patrick C. Wohlfarth) Southern Political Science Association Meetings January 6-8, 2011, New Orleans, LA.

“Digging into the Demise of Consensual Norms: Chief Justice Concurrence from Fuller to Vinson” with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Southern Political Science Association Meetings January 6-8, 2011, New Orleans, LA.

“The Brethren as Baristas: Percolation and Spillover Within the U.S. Supreme Court’s Agenda” with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Midwest Political Science Association Meetings March 31-April 3, 2011 Chicago, IL.

“Legal Pragmatism and the Strategic Model: Examining the Effects of Congressional Jurisdiction-Stripping Challenges” (with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry) Midwest Political Science Association Meetings March 31-April 3, 2011 Chicago, IL.

- “Mapping the Changes: Spillover on the U.S. Supreme Court’s Agenda” with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Western Political Science Association Meetings April 21-23, 2011 San Antonio, TX
- “The Calculus of Choice: Influences on Supreme Court Decision Making” (coauthored with David Williamson and Eric Kobylanski) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA, January 12-14, 2012.
- “Supreme Court Issue Attention and Partisan Realignment: Elected Branch Influence and Conditional Separation of Powers” (coauthored with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA, January 12-14, 2012.
- “Preserving Institutional Power: The Court’s Strategic Decision Making and the Effects of Congress” (coauthored with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry), Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2012.
- “Influences on Decision Making on the Modern Supreme Court” (coauthored with Brett Curry and Bryan Marshall) American Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA. August 30-September 2, 2012.
- “Can We Talk?: The Solicitor General and Oral Argument Amicus” (coauthored by John Szmer and Martha Ginn) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Orlando, FL, January 3-5, 2013.
- “Legal and Legislative Landmarks: Exploring Majoritarian Trends Between Branches” (coauthored with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Southern Political Science Association Meetings, Orlando, FL, January 3-5, 2013.
- “Majoritarian Trends Between Branches: Assessing Legislative and Legal Landmarks” (coauthored with Marcus E. Hendershot, Mark S. Hurwitz, and Drew Noble Lanier) Southwestern Political Science Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA, March 27-29, 2013.
- “Reaching Across the Divide: Supreme Court Decision Making in State Cases” (coauthored with Bryan Marshall and Brett Curry), Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, April 11-14, 2013.
- “Serving Another Principal: The Solicitor General and Congress” (coauthored with Bryan Marshall and Patrick Wohlfarth) American Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, August 29-September 1, 2013.
- “Policy, Precedent, and Preferences: The Religious Clauses of the First Amendment and the Evolution of Supreme Court Doctrine” (coauthored with Barry Pyle). Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2014.
- “The Impact of the Solicitor General as *Amicus Curiae* on Supreme Court Decision Making” (coauthored with John Scheb and David Scott), Southern Political Science Association Meetings New Orleans, LA, January 15-17, 2015.
- “The Solicitor General” Southern Political Science Association Meetings San Juan, Puerto Rico, January 7-10, 2016.
- “Assessing the Influence of *Amicus Curiae* Briefs on the Roberts Court” (coauthored with John Scheb, Hemant Sharma and David Scott), Southern Political Science Association Meetings San Juan, PR, January 7-10, 2016.

“That’s What Friends Are For: *Amicus Curiae* Filings in the Roberts Court, 2005-2014 (coauthored with John Scheb, Hemant Sharma and David Scott), Southern Political Science Association Meetings New Orleans, LA, January 12-14, 2017.

“Will as Judgment: The Supreme Court and the Evolution of Policy” (coauthored with Barry Pyle), Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, April 5-8, 2018.

“Moving in New Directions: The Changing Role (?) of the Solicitor General” Southern Political Science Association Meetings Austin, TX, January 17-19, 2019.

#### SERVICE PRESENTATIONS

“The New Sheriff Comes to Town: The External Chair” Chairs Luncheon, American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA August 31-Sept. 3, 2011.

“The Gift that Keeps on Giving: Extreme Recruitment” Chairs Luncheon, American Political Science Association Seattle, WA August 31-Sept. 3, 2011.

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Chair Elect	Law & Courts Section, 2021-22
Editor	Book Series: Supreme Courts Across the World: Peter Lang 2017-
Editorial Board	<i>Law &amp; Society Review</i> 2002-2004 Westview Press Dilemmas in American Politics Series 2005-16 <i>Justice Systems Journal</i> 2010- <i>Politics Research Quarterly</i> 2014-18
Executive Council Member	Western Political Science Association, 2011-14 Southern Political Science Association, 2019-
Section Head	Public Law Southern Political Science Association 2010-11
Chair	Congressional Quarterly Press Award Committee 1999 Executive Nominating Committee, Law and Courts Section, 2004-05 Best Journal Article Award Committee, 2012-13 Best Journal Article Award Committee, 2018-19
Member	American Judicature Society Awards Committee, 1994-95 Public Law Teaching and Mentoring Award Committee, 2002-03 Law and Courts Section Newsletter Committee, 2007-10 Lifetime Achievement Award Law & Courts, 2019-20
Member of	American Political Science Association Midwest Political Science Association Southern Political Science Association

Reviewed Grant Applications for	National Institute of Humanities National Science Foundation
Reviewed Manuscripts for	<i>American Journal of Political Science</i> <i>American Political Science Review</i> <i>American Politics Quarterly</i> <i>American Review of Public Administration</i> <i>Political Research Quarterly</i> <i>Journal of Politics</i> <i>Journal of Law and Courts</i> <i>Southeastern Political Science Review</i> <i>Judicature</i> <i>Law &amp; Society Review</i> <i>Journal of Theoretical Politics</i> <i>Justice System Journal</i> <i>State Politics and Policy Quarterly</i> <i>Law &amp; Social Inquiry</i>
Discussant	Panel on Judicial Decision-Making. Midwest Political Science Association, April 9-12, 1987: Chicago, IL  Panel on William Rehnquist Midwest Political Science Association April 4-6, 1989: Chicago, IL  Panel on Foreign Policy and Constitution American Political Science Association August 31-September 3, 1989: Atlanta, GA  Panel on Judicial Review and the Constitution American Political Science Association August 29-September 1, 1991: Washington D.C.  Panel on Courts and Public Opinion American Political Science Association August 31-September 3, 1993: Washington D.C.  Panel on Judicial Behavior and Politics in State and Federal Courts Midwestern Political Science Association April 10-12, 1994: Chicago, IL  Panel on the Supreme Court's Agenda American Political Science Association September 1-4, 1994: New York, NY (Each of the Papers Based on Some Aspect of My Book)

Panel on Certiorari and the Rule of Four  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 7-10, 1995: Chicago, IL

Authors Meet Critics: Panel on *Stare Indecisis* (Brenner and Spaeth)  
American Political Science Association  
August 31-September 3, 1995: Chicago, IL

Panel on Decision Making in the Supreme Court:  
Certiorari and Concurring Opinions  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 18-20, 1996: Chicago, IL

Panel on Race, Gender, and Judicial Decision-Making  
American Political Science Association  
August 29-September 1, 1996: San Francisco, CA

Panel on Issues of Agenda Setting in the Supreme Court  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 10-12, 1997: Chicago.

Panel on Public Opinion and the Courts  
American Political Science Association  
August 30-September 2, 1997: Washington, D.C.

Panel on Agenda Setting in the US Supreme Court  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 23-25, 1998: Chicago.

Panel on Deciding to Decide  
American Political Science Association  
September 3-6, 1998: Boston.

Panel on Actors in the Supreme Court Arena  
American Political Science Association  
September 2-5, 1999: Atlanta, GA.

Panel on Agendas and Issues in Appellate Courts  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 27-30, 2000: Chicago, IL

Panel on Supreme Court Decision Making  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 19-22, 2001: Chicago, IL

Panel on Appellate Court Decision Making  
Midwest Political Science Association

April 25-28, 2002: Chicago, IL

Panel on Rehnquist Court  
American Political Science Association  
August 29-September 1, 2002: Boston, MA

Panel on Opinion Assignment, Writing, and Coalition  
Formation in the Judiciary  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 3-6, 2003: Chicago, IL

Panel on Presidents and Courts  
American Political Science Association  
August 28-31, 2003: Philadelphia, PA

Panel on The New Fabric of Communities: Community Building  
Neighborhood Governing and the Administrative State  
Southeastern Conference for Public Administration  
October 12-14, 2003: Savannah, GA

Panel on Interest Groups in Courts  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 15-18, 2004: Chicago, IL

Panel on Law and Litigants  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 7-10, 2005: Chicago, IL

Panel on Law, Opinions, and Coalitions on the Supreme Court  
Southern Political Science Association  
January 5-7, 2006: Atlanta, GA

Author Meets Critics: *Strategic Behavior on the Supreme Court*  
Southern Political Science Association  
January 4-7, 2007: New Orleans, LA

Panel on Agenda Setting on the US Supreme Court  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 12-15, 2007: Chicago, IL

Author Meets Critics: *Judging on a Collegial Court*  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 12-15, 2007: Chicago, IL

US Supreme Court Decision Making: External Influences  
Southern Political Science Association  
January 10-12, 2008: New Orleans, LA

Panel on Institutions and Constraints  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 3-6, 2008: Chicago, IL

Panel on The Judiciary in American Politics  
American Political Science Association  
August 28-31, 2008, Boston, MA

Author Meets Critics: *Friends of the Supreme Court*  
Southern Political Science Association  
January 8-11, 2009. New Orleans, LA

Panel on Government in the Courts  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 22-25, 2010 Chicago, IL

Panel on Corporations and Litigation  
Western Political Science Association  
April 23-25, 2011 San Antonio, TX

Panel on Regime Politics and Judicial Review  
American Political Science Association  
August 30-September 3, 2011 Seattle, WA

Panel on Law and the US Supreme Court  
Southern Political Science Association Meetings  
January 12-14, 2012 New Orleans, LA

Author Meets Critics: *Battle Over the Bench*  
Southern Political Science Association Meetings  
January 3-5, 2013 Orlando, FL

Author Meets Critics: *The Solicitor General and the United State Supreme Court: Executive Branch Influence and Judicial Decisions*  
Midwest Political Science Associations Meetings  
April 11-14, 2013 Chicago, IL

Panel on Court Legitimacy  
American Political Science Association  
August 29-September 1, 2013, Chicago, IL

Panel on Interbranch Relations  
Southern Political Science Association Meetings  
January 7-10, 2016, San Juan, Puerto Rico

Chair

Panel on Individual Decision Making  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 4-6, 1990: Chicago, IL

Panel on Contemporary Constitutional Law  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 9-11, 1992: Chicago, IL

Panel on Decision Making in the Supreme Court:  
Certiorari and Concurring Opinions  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 18-20, 1996: Chicago, IL

Panel on Agendas and Issues in Appellate Courts  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 27-30, 2000: Chicago, IL

Panel on Popular Support and the Judiciary  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 25-28, 2002: Chicago, IL

Teaching Constitutional Law  
American Political Science Association  
August 29-September 1, 2002: Boston, MA

Panel on Presidents and Courts  
American Political Science Association  
August 28-31, 2003: Philadelphia, PA

Panel on the New Fabric of Communities: Community Building  
Neighborhood Governing and the Administrative State  
Southeastern Conference for Public Administration  
October 12-14, 2003: Savannah, GA

Panel on Law and Litigants  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 7-10, 2005: Chicago, IL

Panel on Reconsidering Methods, Models and Courts  
American Political Science Association  
August 30-September 3, 2006: Philadelphia, PA

Panel on Supreme Court Decision Making  
Southern Political Science Association



January 4-7, 2007: New Orleans, LA

Panel on Agenda Setting on the US Supreme Court  
Midwest Political Science Association  
April 12-15, 2007: Chicago, IL

US Supreme Court Decision Making: External Influences  
Southern Political Science Association  
January 10-12, 2008: New Orleans, LA

Corporations and Litigation  
Western Political Science Association  
April 23-25, 2011 San Antonio, TX

Litigation and Social/Policy Change  
American Political Science Association  
August 30-September 3, 2011 Seattle, WA

Law and the US Supreme Court  
Southern Political Science Association Meetings  
January 12-14, 2012 New Orleans, LA

External Influences on Supreme Court Agenda Setting  
Midwest Political Science Association Meetings  
April 11-14, 2013 Chicago, IL

#### Lecturer and Participant

"Civil Liberties and Civil Rights"  
James Madison Fellows Conference on the Bicentennial of the Constitution  
Project '87  
American Political Science Association  
Bloomington, Indiana, June 23-July 11, 1986

"Civil Liberties in the 1980's"  
James Madison Conference on the Bicentennial of the Constitution  
American Political Science Association  
Bloomington, Indiana, July 1988

"The Third Wave, the Fourth Estate and the  
Third Branch of Government"  
Virtual Journalism, Virtual Government Conference  
University of Missouri-St. Louis March 1995

Mini-University Participant, 1986-1991  
Indiana University

#### Invited Talks

"Sorry to Waste Your Time: Unimportant Cases Before the Supreme Court"

American Politics Research Group. University of North Carolina  
January 2020

“Becoming Jeff Segal”  
Lifetime Achievement Award  
American Political Science Association Meeting, Boston 2018

“Balancing Political Principals and Legal Principles: The Solicitor General  
and Separation of Powers”  
Separation of Powers, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, February 2016

“Forty More Years: The Making of the Obama Court?”  
Georgia College and State University, Dec. 1, 2011

“Beyond Two Terms: Shaping the Supreme Court and a Legacy”  
The Obama Presidency: Change and Continuity  
Eisenhower Institute Washington D.C.  
November 7-8, 2010

“Walking the Streets of Rome with a Map of Florence”  
Miami University  
January 27, 2010

"Rebuilding Institutions and Redefining Issues:  
The Reagan Justice Department and the Reconstruction of Civil Rights"  
Alan Larkin Symposium on the American Presidency  
Civil Rights and the Presidency  
Florida Atlantic University  
February 11-13, 2009 (shown on CSPAN)

“Decision Making on the Modern Supreme Court”  
University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill,  
American Politics Research Group  
February 14, 2008

“Keepers of the Covenant or Platonic Guardians?  
Decision Making on the United States Supreme Court”  
University of Georgia Public Law Group,  
March 4, 2005

“Preparing for and Landing a Job”  
Preparing Future Faculty Conference  
Indiana University  
February 26-27, 2004

Invited Talks: General Audience

“Studying (for) Midterms New Blue Wave or Same Old Red Tide?”

Alumni Association, Washington D.C. September 27, 2018

“The Constitution: An 18<sup>th</sup> Century Document in a 21<sup>st</sup> Century World  
Constitution Day, Blount House, September 18, 2020

“Gypsies, Trump, and Thieves: The 2016 Campaign”  
“Ovvero Gtani, Trump e Ladri: Le Elezioni Presidenziali Americane 2016”  
University of Genoa (Italy), November 2015

“‘Forty More Years’: The Making of the Clinton/Rubio Court”  
“Ancora Quarant’anni: La Creazione della Corte Clinton/Rubio”  
University of Genoa (Italy), November 2015

Discussant and Participant

"Symposium on *Garcia* and Its Implications for Federalism"  
Advisory Commission on Intergovernment Relations.  
Bloomington, Indiana April 15-16, 1986.

Participant

Law and Society Center/Workshop Indiana University, 1986-1991

First Amendment Seminar: Steering Committee  
Poynter Center Indiana University, 1988-1991

#### CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

Supreme Court and Judicial Agendas, Policy Evolution in the Judiciary, Role of Policy Entrepreneurs in Judiciary,  
The Role of the Solicitor General, Supreme Court Decision Making, Crossinstitutional Decision Making, Interbranch  
Relations, Strategic Institutional Behavior

#### STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE

Site Director	Montepulciano, Italy, 2014
Teaching and Director	Florence, Italy 2019
Teaching and Co-Director	Siena, Italy 2017-18
Teaching	Urbino, Italy, 2016
Teaching	Montepulciano, Italy, 2008-12
Teaching	Madrid, Spain, 2013

Tour Guide Leader

Vatican Museums, St. Peter’s (Vatican City)  
Borghese Palace, Coliseum and Forum, Pantheon (Rome)  
Accademia, Pitti Palace, Brancacci Chapel, Medici Chapel, Santa Croce,  
Bargello, San Marco, Santa Maria Novella, Duomo Museo (Florence)  
Palazzo Pubblico, Duomo, Museo del Duomo, Pinocoteca (Siena)  
Ducal Palace, Home of Raphael (Urbino)  
Duomo, San Brizio Chapel (Orvieto)  
Field of Miracles (Pisa)  
Basilica of San Francesco, Santa Maria degli Angeli (Assisi)  
Prado, Reina Sophia, Thyssen-Bornemisza Museums (Madrid)

#### UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Head, Department of Political Science (UT) 2014-  
 Division Head Big Orange Fund Campaign (UT) 2015-18  
 Chair, Anthropology Head Search Committee (UT) 2019-20  
 Chair, Classics Head Search Committee (UT) 2015-16  
 Member, Interview Committee for Truman Scholars (UT) 2014-18  
 Chair, Department of Political Science (GSU) 2003-11  
 Dean's Advisory Council (GSU) 2003-11  
 Faculty Roles and Rewards Committee (GSU) 2005-07  
 Chair, American Politics Search Committee (GSU) 2013-14  
 Chair, Psychology Chair Search Committee (GSU) 2005-06  
 Chair, Foreign Language Chair Search Committee (GSU) 2007-08  
 Chair, CLASS Recruitment Committee (GSU) 2006-07  
 Member, Chair Search Political Science (GSU) 2013-14  
 Member, Personnel Committee, Criminal Justice (GSU) 2013-14  
 Member, Director of International Studies Search Committee (GSU), 2011-12  
 Member, Psychology Chair Search Committee (GSU) 2010-11  
 Member, CLASS Dean Search Committee (GSU), 2008-09  
 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Allocation of Graduate Assistantships (GSU), 2007-08  
 Honors Scholarship 1906 Interview Committee (GSU) 2005-12, 2014  
 Legal Studies Coordinator (UMSL), 1996-2003  
 College of Arts and Sciences, Committee on Committees (UMSL), 1999-2001  
 Departmental Pre-Law Advisor (IU and UMSL), 1985-2003  
 Chair, American Politics Search Committees (UMSL) 1998, 2000  
 Discrimination Grievance Procedure Panel (UMSL) 1998-2000  
 Program Development Committee (UMSL), 1991-1992  
 Faculty Council (UMSL), 1992-1994  
 Undergraduate Policy Committee (UMSL), 1991-1997  
 Graduate Policy Committee (UMSL), 1997-present  
 Department Personnel Committee (UMSL), 1997-present  
 Ad Hoc Committee on Gender in Curriculum (UMSL), 1993-1994  
 Departmental Representative Americans with Disabilities Act Evaluation Committee (UMSL), 1994  
 Advisor Political Science Academy (UMSL), 1996-1997  
 Internal Review Committee, Gerontology Program (UMSL), 2001-2002  
 Advisor Political Science Club (IU), 1987-1991  
 Freshman Orientation Program (IU), 1985-1986  
 University Division Advisor (IU), 1987-1989  
 Tenure and Promotion: Personnel Committee (IU), 1988-89